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**October 6, 1970**

**Mr. Vice President:**

**Attached at Tab A is the latest draft of the President's speech which is still subject to further honing and will most assuredly be modified further, especially on page one where the current language suggests that our Paris team develop the initiative. This is not correct. As you know, this initiative is the culmination of an extensive and lengthy interdepartmental review and was the subject of an NSC meeting last spring.**

**At Tab B is a detailed summary of the proposals contained in the President's speech which I do not believe will change substantially.**

**The President plans to give this speech at 9:00 p.m. tomorrow night over national television. It will be accompanied by an elaborate diplomatic scenario designed to achieve maximum impact for both domestic and political reasons, and based on the merits of the proposal itself.**

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